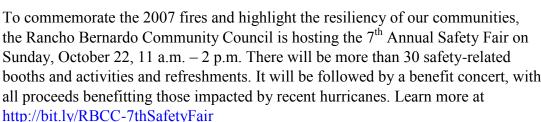
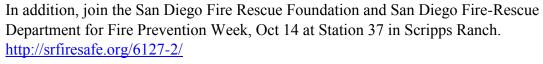


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10 Years Later: The Witch Creek-Guejito Fires

In October 2007, more than 197,990 acres of San Diego County burned in the Witch Creek-Guejito Fires. Of that, 9,250 acres were within the City of San Diego, destroying 365 residences in Rancho Bernardo and damaging dozens more.













New Neighborhood Watch Signs in Scripps Ranch

Improving public safety is one of my top priorities on the San Diego City Council, so I was proud to provide a grant from my District Five Community Programs, Projects and Services fund for new Neighborhood Watch signs for the Scripps Ranch community. When citizens organize themselves through Neighborhood Watch and work with law enforcement to keep a trained eye and ear on their communities, they reduce opportunities for crime by simply demonstrating a presence. Learn more about creating or joining a Neighborhood Watch at http://www.sandiegoneighborhoodwatch.com/home.html (Left: Bob Ilko, SRCA president; Right: Lt. Duane Voss)





Vaccination, Sanitation & Education: Hepatitis A

The City and County of San Diego are continuing to take aggressive action to combat the spread of hepatitis A. In order to avoid infection. wash vour regularly after using the bathroom and before preparing or eating food. Surfaces that are frequently touched should be cleaned and sanitized often as well. Learn more about disinfection guidelines here http://bit.ly/HepAdisinfection

For vaccination resources, visit <u>211SanDiego.org</u>

Taste San Diego's New Purified Water

San Diego relies on importing 85% of its water supply from the River Colorado and Northern California Bay Delta. In order to provide a reliable and sustainable water supply and create a more costeffective investment for our water needs, the City of San Diego is moving forward with Pure Water San Diego. Pure Water's goal is to provide one-third of San Diego's water supply locally by 2035. To more about the learn purification process and taste new purified water, you're invited to an



open house on October 21. Bring the whole family to enjoy free snow cones, kettle corn and face painting.

Reserve your tour spot at

https://www.sandiego.gov/water/purewater/purewatersd/openhouse

Honoring Jas Arnold at the Trail for All People



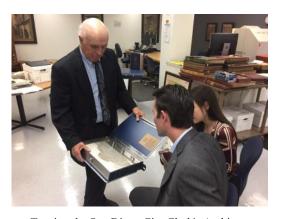


In honor of the late Jas Arnold, a leader in the creation of the Trail for All People, San Diego's first fully ADA trail, I had the privilege of joining the Arnold family and the San Diego Chapter of the CA Land Surveyors Association to dedicate a "Final Point" Monument to him. It was beautiful to hear of the impact Jas continues to have on the ADA community, the land surveyors community and San Diego community at-large. Visit the trail in the Black Mountain Open Space Park to see the "Final Point" and enjoy the views. Learn more about the trail at https://www.sandiego.gov/park-and-recreation/parks/trail-for-all-people

In the Community



Honored to receive the Paul Harris Fellow recognition from the RB Rotary Club and Rotary Club Foundation Chair Dan Barrios. Learn more about the RB Rotary at http://rbrotary.org/ Picture Credit: James Kaspar



Touring the San Diego City Clerk's Archives, home to thousands of official city documents dating back to the 1850s. In honor of National Archives Month, explore the events and policies that shaped San Diego at https://www.sandiego.gov/digitalarchives



Congratulating the Public Relations Society of America, San Diego/Imperial Counties Chapter for 25 years of recognizing PR pros at their Edward L. Bernays Mark of Excellence Awards. Learn about their professional development resources at http://prsasdic.org/



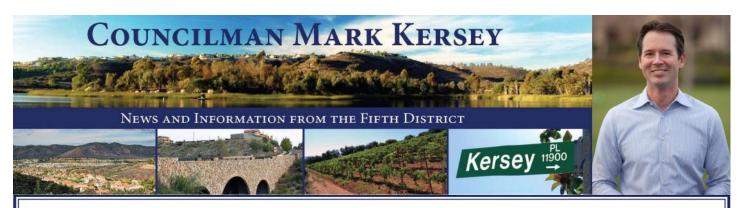
Speaking with Gene Cubbison on NBC's Politically Speaking, about what the City is doing to help our most at-risk communities. Watch here: http://bit.ly/MK-politicallyspeakingOct2017



Reading to families at the Scripps Miramar Ranch Library to help kick off the launch of 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten, a pre-reader literacy program. Learn more at https://www.sandiego.gov/1000books



Proclaiming October 2017 as Cybersecurity Awareness Month in the City of San Diego. Cybersecurity is a shared responsibility so learn how to protect yourself online at https://www.sandiego.gov/it/security/cyber/resources



Community Calendar

History in the Making: 40 Years of Women in the SDFD

Oct 11 | The Firehouse Museum

http://sdfirerescue.org/history-in-the-making/

Fire Station 37 Open House

Oct 14 | Scripps Ranch Fire Station http://srfiresafe.org/6127-2/

Scripps Fire Safe Council Golf Tournament

Oct 21 | The Vineyard in Escondido

http://srfiresafe.org/upcoming-events-news/golf-tournament/

SRCA Clean-Up Day

Oct 21 | SRCA Community Center & Business Park http://www.scrippsranch.org/committees/cleanup-day-garage-sale **Pure Water Open House**

Oct 21 | North City Water Reclamation Plant http://purewatersd.org/openhouse

Recycle Oil & Oil Filters Event

Oct 21 | Public Utilities Operations https://www.sandiego.gov/sites/default/files/final st422 esd fall 17 oil event buck slip.pdf

RBCC 7th Annual Safety Fair

Oct 22 | Webb Park

https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B3aacQ-Xq5pMY09TNkw5bmpOc1k/view

Trick or Treat at Farmers Market

Oct 28 | 10380 Spring Canyon Road http://srfm.org/events

Feedback Needed

Your responses to this survey will help me better understand your needs as a resident of the City of San Diego. Please take a moment to complete the survey today at http://bit.ly/sdconstituentsurvey



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